

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tarrerias et al.  
Appl. No. : 10/589,900  
Filed : August 18, 2006  
Title : METHOD OF PRODUCING A CUTTING BLADE AND CUTTING  
BLADE THUS PRODUCED  
Grp./A.U. : 3724  
Examiner : Patel, B.  
Docket No.: 15472NP

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO THE NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed March 10, 2011, the following is submitted. Also included is a request for Extension of Time with the required fee.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this response;  
and

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this response.